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re Application of:

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DAVID C. CHALLENER, ET AL.

Serial No. 09/262,123

**Examiner: KAMBIZ ZAND** 

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For: DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MAINTAINING

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Art Unit: 2132

SECURE USER PRIVATE KEYS IN **NON-SECURE STORAGE** 

**AMENDMENT A UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.115** 

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**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231

**Technology Center 2100** 

Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Examiner's Action dated December 4, 2001, having a shortened statutory period set to expire March 4, 2002, extended to May 4, 2002.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING** 

37 C.F.R. § 1.8(A)

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